

PORT HUDSON FIELD
10-105

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.
In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 2010**, upon the application of **NEW CENTURY EXPLORATION, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Upper Wilcox Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Port Hudson Field, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Clara Annison et al No. 1 Well (WSN 227668) as an alternate unit well for U WX RA SUB, within a target radius of 100' from the location shown on the plat submitted with the application and at a location in exception to the well location provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Upper Wilcox Zone, Reservoir A, underlying U WX RA SUB which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
3. To grant a single unit allowable for the U WX RA SUB and to permit the operator of the unit to produce said unit allowable from the unit well, the existing alternate unit wells, the proposed alternate unit well, or from a combination of such wells in the unit, at its option.
4. To find that, except to the extent contrary in the order granted by the Commissioner of Conservation in connection with the hearing held on this application, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1027-C, effective June 20, 1989 and the 1027-C Series of Orders shall remain in full force and effect.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Wilcox Zone, Reservoir A was fully defined in Order No. 1027-C, effective June 20, 1989.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

<http://dnr.louisiana.gov/conshearings>

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.